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**APPLICATION FEE TRANSMITTAL**

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Washington, D.C. 20231  
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

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For:

**METHOD FOR RESOLVING SIGNAL COLLISIONS BETWEEN  
MULTIPLE RFID TRANSPONDERS IN A FIELD**

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- ☐ 18 page(s) of the specification
- ☐ 1 page(s) of title page
- ☐ 4 page(s) of claims(s) (Nos. 1-24)
- ☐ 1 page(s) of Abstract
- ☐ 6 sheets of drawing(s) (Figs. 1-6) ☒ formal ☐ informal
- ☐ page(s) of Declaration and Power of Attorney
- ☐ Preliminary Amendment
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- ☐ An assignment cover form.
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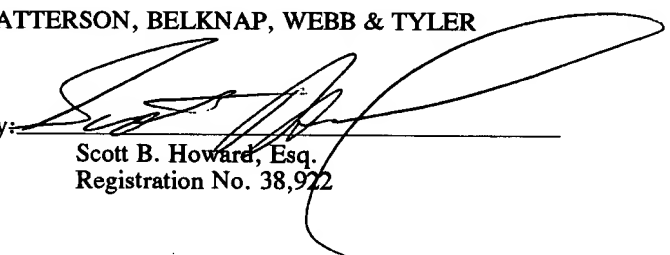
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